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Supporting First Responders Across Indiana

To Whom It May Concern:

The Indiana Homeland Security Foundation is pleased to announce that the application for the "Secure Indiana Scholarship" is now available on the website. In addition to awarding grants to assist Hoosier first responder organizations, the Foundation is using stewardship funds to award scholarships to promote careers and volunteerism with these organizations. The scholarship is available to Indiana residents who: are currently a volunteer for a public safety organization, are pursing an undergraduate degree at an accredited Indiana college, have a minimum 2.8 GPA on a 4.0 scale, and want to pursue a career in public safety. The Foundation will be awarding up to 20 scholarships (no more than 2 per Congressional district) with full-time students eligible to receive a \$1,000 award.

We encourage you to pass this information along to interested students. The application deadline is August 1, 2017.

The application is available on the Indiana Department of Homeland Security website:

http://www.in.gov/dhs/foundationscholarship.htm

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me by email at <u>ralee@dhs.in.gov</u> or by telephone at 317-234-8996.

Thank you,

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